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GENERAL LITERATURE

In the March number, the price of the second volume of De Vries' *Mutation theory* (p. 299) was incorrectly given; it should be *$4 net.

Adam, Evelyn. Behind the screens. N.Y.Putnam [Lond.Methuen](N)1910. 277p. *$1.50 net. 6/

The author's opinion—frankly admitted to be merely personal, though based on six years' residence—is that patriotism is the only genuine virtue of the Japanese, and that the nation having outgrown its old manners and not yet grown used to its new is in the "hobble-de-hoy" stage. The point of view is new and the criticisms of Japan, while not pretending to "add anything to the store of knowledge of things Japanese," show unusually deep insight, and are presented in a very readable, quietly humorous fashion.

915.2 Japan—Social life and customs 10-29714/3

Allen, J. W. The place of history in education [N.Y.Appleton]Lond.Blackwood(D)1910. 258p. *$1.50 net. 5/ net.

A scholarly discussion of what history and education are, developing a plea for a broader interpretation and application of historical science. A series of admirable essays, written primarily for teachers in English schools, they are valuable to educators and history teachers in this country because of their suggestiveness and stimulating quality.

907 History—Study and teaching E9-1225/3

The **American** year book; a record of events and progress 1910, ed. by S. N. D. North. v. 1. N.Y. Appleton(Ja)1911. 687p. *$3.50 net.

An attempt to record the events and progress of the year in the various fields of human endeavor in the United States, dealing with other countries in so far as their record is inextricable from that of the United States or of special interest to Americans. Details as to elections, the personnel of state and municipal government and personalities in general have been omitted to make room for material not found in most annuals.—Adapted from *Preface.* The arrangement

is by subjects, a bibliography following each, and there is a fairly good index. A work that as a whole duplicates none already in use, and one that will have decided usefulness, especially in the fields of economics, political science, public works, legislation, commerce, politics and government. Except for purely statistical matter and abstracts from public documents, the articles are all signed by unquestioned authorities. A chronology and necrology are given. The style is exceptionally clear and readable, and the typography and makeup excellent.

317 United States || Statistics || Year-books 11-1626/4

Askins, Charles. The American shotgun. N.Y.Outing(D)1910. 321p. illus. *$2 net.

Part 1 is devoted to a thorough consideration of modern shotguns, their working parts, and the advantages or disadvantages of certain improvements and variations. Care has been taken to avoid special mention of any make of gun but among the numerous illustrations the work of all prominent gun-builders is represented. The second part concerns the use of guns—wing shooting, aiming, hints on shooting different game birds—and some admirable chapters on the psychology of shooting and on field etiquette. The spirit throughout is that of the genuine sportsman, and hunters of all ages will find the book instructive, suggestive and interesting.

683 Gun || Shooting 10-31156/3

Baerlein, Henry. The singing caravan (Wisdom of the East series) [N.Y.Dutton]Lond.Murray(S) 1910. 123p. *60c. net. 2/ net.

A brief critical history of Arabic poetry from pre-Islamic times through its periods of decline and revival, in Arabia and Spain. The influences of the Koran and of the Crusaders are discussed, and consideration given to the Bedawi, the modern singers. Fragmentary verses of exceptional beauty are quoted but immediate sources are infrequently given.

892.7 Arabic poetry A10-1623/3

Barker, Aldred Farrer. Textiles (Westminster series) [N.Y.Van Nostrand]Lond.Constable (N) 1910. 375p. illus. *$2 net. 6/ net.

A comprehensive work for persons desiring extensive and accurate information on the whole range of textile industries. It contains brief histories and résumés of the several industries, detailed descriptions of processes, tables of classification of grades and varieties of raw material, textile calculations and tables showing comparative production and con-

sumption by countries, based on British statistics. The field covered is wider than that of Dooley (p. 328) and the treatment more technical but Dooley gives practical information omitted from the present work and the two books will meet wholly different needs. The numerous illustrations include diagrams showing details of processes, machines, etc. Index.

677 Textile industry and fabrics. Analytics: Dyes and dyeing || Spinning || Weaving || Textile finishing || Woolen and worsted manufacture || Carpets || Silk manufacture and trade || Cotton growing and manufacture || Linen A10-1429/11

Barton, Frank Townend. Non-sporting dogs. N.Y. Jenkins [Lond. Everett] (D) 1910. 247p. illus. *$1.75 net. 5/ net.

The breeds described are: St. Bernard, mastiff, Great Dane, Newfoundland, rough and smooth-coated collies, English sheep dog, bull-dog, bull-terrier, Manchester and English terriers, poodle and Dalmatian. The classification, points and value of points, and defects follow English kennel club rules, which differ in detail only from American rules. The chapters on canine medicine, care of kennels and breeding are authoritative, the author being veterinary surgeon to the Gamekeepers' Kennel Association. Photographs of examples of the breeds described and complete index. The discussion of each breed is more extensive than in Leighton (*Booklist*, 7:109, N 10)

636.7 Dog A11-1489/2

—— Sporting dogs. N.Y. Jenkins [Lond. Everett] (D) 1910. 450p. illus. *$2.50 net. 7/6 net.

The arrangement is similar to that of *Non-sporting dogs*. The breeds considered are: pointers, English, Irish and Gordon setters, flat-coated, curly-coated and Labrador retrievers, spaniels, hounds of all varieties, and terriers. The chapters on disease concern treatment of wounds and ailments peculiar to sporting dogs. The photographic reproductions are portraits of dogs obviously selected not wholly on their bench-records, but on proved ability in field work as well. For the author's work on *Toy dogs* see Williams, p. 363. These three books are poorly printed and bound, and are too expensive for any but large libraries.

636.7 Dog A11-1490/2

Becker, Otto Matthew. High-speed steel. N.Y. McGraw-Hill (Ag) 1910. 360p. illus. *$4 net.

"Practical work, the first to deal comprehensively with high-speed and other tool-steels. Wider in scope than Tay-

lor's *Art of cutting metals,* though not presented with the same fulness of detail. Based on author's papers in *Engineering Magazine.''—Pittsburgh.*

669.1 Steel || Tools 10-18398/3

Black, Hugh. Comfort. N.Y.Revell(S)1910. 256p. ✠ *$1.50 net.

Nine essays, whose compelling quality is a sincere understanding of human needs. Their broad sympathy, deep religious feeling and entire lack of platitudes recommend them to persons whose need of comfort is genuine.

242 Christian life 10-22847/3

Brace, Harrison H. Gold production and future prices. N.Y.Bankers pub. co(Je)1910. $1.50.

''While the book is in no sense an original contribution, it is a good popular presentation of the subject. The most valuable part is chapters 4 and 5, the former treating of the influences which tend to augment the effects of increased gold productions, and the latter of the counteracting influences.''—*Economic Bulletin.*

332.4 Gold || Prices 10-15619/3

Brierley, Jonathan. Life and the ideal. Bost.Pilgrim press[Lond.JamesClarke](N)1910. 287p. *$1.25 net. 3/6 net.

Thirty essays on various phases of life, in each of which the author finds ''a something better than we have yet seen or reached,'' an ideal. Some of the chapters are ''Work and the ideal,'' ''Sin and the ideal,'' ''Nature and the political ideal,'' and ''The ideal and health.'' They are based on sound spiritual philosophy and characterized by much charm in presentation. ''Few books of this class are more readable.''

204 Spiritual life || Conduct of life A11-1487/4

Brown, Stephen J. A readers' guide to Irish fiction. N.Y. & Lond.Longmans(N)1910. 226p. *$1.25 net. 3/6 net.

A classified list of novels, juvenile stories and folk tales dealing with Irish subjects and arranged under many heads and sub-heads according to historical period, geography, social classes, etc. Each title is accompanied by a descriptive note giving contents and information as to its religious and moral attitude. The work does not pretend to be a complete bibliography nor a list of best books, but is very inclusive and will

be especially useful in selecting fiction suitable for Catholic readers of all ages. Hints for further reading, general notes on authors and an incomplete index.

016. 823 or 823 Ireland—Social life and customs—Bibliography || Fiction—Bibliography || Irish fiction—Bibliography 11-1793/5

Burch, R. M. Color printing and color printers. N.Y. Baker & Taylor [Lond. I. Pitnam] (S) 1910. 280p. illus. **$3 net. 12/6 net.

A comprehensive and readable history of nearly five hundred years of color printing, with accounts of the developments of various processes and of many of the most famous prints and color books. Notes indicate where more extended treatment of any subject may be found. The viewpoint is the printer's, not the artist's. The illustrations, eight halftones and about twenty-five plates, including four showing the steps in the three-color process, are of no artistic worth, but are valuable as showing clearly wherein processes differ.

655.3 Color prints || Printing—History A11-16/3

Camp, Samuel Granger. The fine art of fishing. ✠ N.Y. Outing (F) 1911. 177p. illus. *$1 net.

A well written, right spirited book containing useful hints to anglers and designed, with its notes on our common game fish and the practical use of the fly- and bait-casting rod, to supplement the author's earlier work *Fishing kits and equipment* (*Booklist*, 6:369, Je 10) Most of the text and the photographs illustrating angling methods are reprinted from *Outing*, *Recreation* and *Country Life in America*.

799 Fish and fishing 11-2090/3

Campbell, Gilbert Lewis. Industrial accidents and their compensation (Hart, Schaffner & Marx prize essays) Bost. Houghton (Ja) 1911. 105p. *$1 net.

A brief but thorough study, chiefly concerned with American aspects of the question. In the concluding chapter the principal provisions of employers' liability laws in Europe are given with suggestions for their adaptation to the problem in America. The seventeen statistical tables have been compiled from sources indicated in footnotes, and from the most recent data obtainable. Fully indexed.

331.8 Accidents, Industrial || Employers' liability || Insurance, Industrial 11-1172/4

Chapman, Abel. Unexplored Spain, by Abel Chapman and Walter J. Buck. [N.Y.Longmans] Lond. E. Arnold (D) 1910. 416p. illus. *$6 net. 21/ net.

An exceptionally interesting, spirited and accurate account of birds and game in uncultivated parts of Spain, based on the long experience of authors who are equally enthusiastic as naturalists and as hunters. Town life is not touched on except in the chapters on bull-fighting. The 209 illustrations are from drawings by Chapman and others, from sketches and from photographs by the authors and the Duke of Orleans. Foreword by Sir Maurice de Bunsen, British ambassador at Madrid. A sequel to *Wild Spain* (1893)

914.6 Natural history—Spain || Spain—Description and travel || Hunting—Spain || Animals, Habits and behavior of A11-1316/6

Chesley, Albert Meader. Social activities for men
✠ and boys. N. Y., Y. M. C. A. press, 1910. 304p. illus. $1.

A compilation from many sources of suggestions and experiences in the social activities of Y. M. C. A. work. Entertainments of many kinds, both indoors and out, are described, and yells and songs used by various Y. M. C. A. chapters are given. Camping, dramatics, boy scouts and socials are other subjects discussed. A useful book for social workers. Bibliography and satisfactory index.

267.3 Young men's Christian associations || Amusements || Entertainments. Analytics: Boys' clubs || Boy scouts || Camping 11-893/8

Chesterton, Gilbert Keith. William Blake (Popular library of art) [N.Y.Dutton] Lond. Duckworth (D) 1910. 210p. illus. *$1 net. 2/ net.

A brilliant biographical essay, with many characteristically entertaining digressions, but containing an illuminating interpretation of Blake both as artist and philosopher. The comparisons of his "obscurities" with those of James and Browning, and of his engravings with Flaxman's are especially well done. The thirty-two reproductions of Blake's drawings are too much reduced to be of much value. A book for the well-versed student; it would prove only a stumbling block to the uninitiated.

759.2 Blake, William A11-562/2

Child conference for research and welfare. Proceedings, 1910; held at Clark University, Worcester, Mass., June 28-July 2, 1910. N.Y.Stechert(D)1910. 286p. *$2 net; paper, *$1.50 net.

These thirty-three papers and reports, presented to the second child conference by many authorities, will have considerable interest for the average citizen and parent. They touch on all phases of the child problem, describing work being done in many states and indicating the lines along which further progress will be made.

360 Children—Care and hygiene || Children—Charities, protection, etc. || Education of children. Analytics: Kindergarten || Moving pictures || Child labor || Open air schools || Probation system || School gardens 10-2865/10

Church, Alexander Hamilton. Production factors in cost accounting and works management (Works management library) N.Y.Engineering magazine(N)1910. 187p. $2.

The author proposes "a new way of looking at the whole problem of manufacturing expense. His purpose is to avoid the averagings and approximations of a mixed expense account, now commonly in use, by recognizing all the important 'factors' in production, and segregating continuously the charges belonging to each."—*Editor's introduction.* A practical and concrete demonstration, for the cost accountant or manager. First published in *Engineering Magazine.*

658 Cost || Factory management 10-27348/4

Clark, Alfred. Ceylon (Peeps at many lands) [N.Y. + Macmillan] Lond.Black(N)1910. 87p. illus. map. *75c. net. 1/6 net.

A brief description of the island, its climate, history, people, religion and customs, clearly and simply written. Interesting chapters concern tea growing, pearl fishing and buried cities. Though in a series designed for children, both style and content make the book more suited to adults. Chivers binding (at the same price) is preferable to the publishers'.

915.48 Ceylon A10-1971/2

Clark, Arthur Hamilton. The clipper ship era. N.Y. Putnam(Ja)1911. 404p. illus. **$2 net.

The author sailed as officer on one of the most famous clippers in the great days of American shipping, which he describes with a sailor's enthusiasm. The narrative is a most detailed history of American clipper ships engaged in the

California and oriental trade, and includes descriptions of ships and their captains, their record runs, and their adventures in fair weather and foul. Some consideration is given to British ships of the period. The thirty-nine illustrations include twenty-four reproductions of paintings of famous clippers, and many portraits of their captains.

387 Ships || Shipping 10-29409/4

Coulter, John Merle. A textbook of botany for colleges and universities, by John Merle Coulter, Charles Reid Barnes and Henry Chandler Cowles. v. 1, Morphology and physiology. N.Y. Amer. book co. (S) 1910. 484p. illus. *$2 net.

An unusually good textbook, fresh and authoritative in treatment but suffering somewhat from condensation and not covering the whole field. "A reminder rather than a source. . . We expect it to take its place as a valuable addition to class books on botany."—*Nature*, 85:299, 26 Ja 11.

580 Botany 10-21754/2

Creelman, James. Diaz, master of Mexico. N.Y. Appleton (F) 1911. 441p. illus. *$2 net.

Except for its at times almost absurd "whitewashing" of Mexican conditions, this work is valuable as a history of Mexico for the past sixty years, and because of its brisk, journalistic style extremely interesting. Under the too high coloring, the portrait of the great statesman—the most successful military despot of modern times—is clearly outlined. The author has had Diaz' private memoirs to draw on for much of his material. The illustrations are from photographs, not especially well reproduced.

972 Diaz, Porfirio || Mexico—History 11-2066/3

Currey, Edward Hamilton. Sea-wolves of the Mediterranean. N.Y. Dutton [Lond. Murray] (D) 1910. 399p. illus. **$3.50 net. 10/6 net.

A record of sea-fights and land-sieges from the expulsion of the Moors from Spain in 1492 to the death of Ali-Basha, 1580, simple and anecdotal in style, thrilling in subject and authoritative in fact. Many sidelights are thrown on the Knights of St. John of Malta, on Soliman the Magnificent, Charles V, the Barbarossa, Don John of Austria, and other personages whom romantic association has made half legendary. The illustrations are from old portraits and prints.

961 Pirates || Barbary states || Mediterranean Sea. Analytic: Malta, Knights of A11-867/6

Dautremer, Joseph. The Japanese empire and its economic conditions. [N.Y.Scribner] Lond.Unwin(N)1910. 319p. illus. map. *$3 net. 10/6 net.

An exhaustive study of all phases of Japan's present economic condition, and of all related factors: commerce, population, education, finances, army and navy, arts and industries, crops, exports and imports, railway routes, mines, colonies, etc. The author is convinced that western markets need not fear Japan as a rival, but on the whole is careful to make few deductions from his mass of statistics. The work is valuable to the student, admirable for reference purposes, but too condensed and formal in style for general reading. The translation is at times faulty. Twenty illustrations from photographs, map and index.

915.2 Japan. Analytics: Formosa || Korea A11-337/4

Denney, Joseph Villiers. Argumentation and debate, by Joseph Villiers Denney, Carson S. Duncan, Frank C. McKinney. N.Y. Amer. book co.(N) 1910. 400p. *$1.25 net.

The presentation of the theory of argumentation covers the same ground as Foster (*Booklist*, 4:236, S-O 08) but the present work will be useful for its lists of suggested exercises, references for reading, and thorough analyses of illustrative passages from actual debates. No questions for debate are briefed. Two thirds of the work are given up to speeches made in famous debates, with questions for analysis following each. The treatment is suited to the uses of college debaters and will not answer the needs of high school pupils.

374 Debating || Argumentation 10-25862/3

Diefendorf, Mary Riggs. The historic Mohawk. N.Y.Putnam(N)1910. 331p. illus. *$2 net.

A brief account, drawn from authoritative sources, of the Mohawk valley from prehistoric times to the coach-and-canal days of the '30's. There are many digressions, some repetitions and a tendency to over-quotation from early visitors, but the style on the whole is effortless and picturesque. The twenty-four illustrations are from photographs of old houses, churches, memorial statues and historic scenes. Index and list of authorities consulted.

974.7 Mohawk Valley, N. Y. || N. Y. (state)—History. Analytic: Iroquois Indians 10-28359/5

Dillon, Edward. Porcelain and how to collect it. N.Y.Dutton[Lond.Methuen](N)1910. 314p. illus. *$2 net. 6/ net.

An authoritative manual, covering the ground sufficiently and containing more information on the chemistry of glazes than is usual in similar works. The style is clear and simple, the treatment scholarly, making the book equally useful to amateurs and experienced collectors. Thirty-one black and white illustrations from photographs and one color plate. Based on the author's *Porcelain* (Connoisseur's library, Putnam 1904, $6.75)

738 Pottery A11-531/3

Dooley, William Henry. Textiles for commercial, ✠ industrial, evening and domestic arts schools. N.Y.Heath(N)1910. 221p. illus. *$1 net.

A practical, untechnical work "adapted for those engaged in retail and wholesale dry goods, wool, cotton and dressmakers' trades." Processes of manufacturing wool, silk, cotton and linen goods are described in sufficient detail, with a chapter on fibers, one on the grades of wool, one on remanufactured material, etc. Descriptions and trade names of the many kinds of fabrics are given and a valuable appendix contains practical directions for testing goods for their durability, permanence of dye, elasticity, shrinkage and composition. The chapter on lace is of slight value because of its inaccuracies, but the work as a whole is useful and dependable. Illustrated with halftones showing machines and interiors of factories. Full contents but no index. See also Barker (p. 321)

677 Textile industry and fabrics. Analytics: Woolen and worsted manufacture || Yarn || Weaving || Dyes and dyeing || Cotton growing and manufacture || Thread || Knitting || Lace and lace-making || Linen || Hemp || Silk manufacture and trade 10-26285/13

Ellwood, Charles Abram. Sociology and modern so- ✠ cial problems. N.Y.Amer. book co.(N)1910. 331p. *$1 net.

An excellent summary of the most modern thought along sociological lines, adapted to the needs of students requiring an elementary textbook and to the general reader. Each problem is presented without bias and with no attempt at solution on the author's part. Select references for brief reading, more extended reading and reading on special topics follow each chapter.

301 Sociology || Social problems || Sociology—Bibliography 10-27033/4

Fea, Allan. Old English houses. [N.Y.Scribner] Lond.Secker(D)1910. 273p. illus. *$3 net. 10/6 net.

The chief value of this interesting account of a "random itinerary" through eleven counties lies in its choice of smaller and less known buildings—manors, inns and farmhouses—than is usual in books of the kind. Much readable historical and legendary information is given. The illustrations, more than one hundred reproductions of photographs, are exceptionally good.

914.2 England—Description and travel || Country houses
11-35308/3

Firth, Charles Harding. The House of Lords during the Civil War. N.Y. & Lond.Longmans(N)1910. 309p. *$2.60 net. 7/6 net.

An unbiased and authoritative political history of the peerage from 1603 to 1660. It presupposes a considerable knowledge of the period, and is somewhat heavy reading, but it is both timely and valuable in view of the present discussion in England and America of the bicameral and unicameral forms of government. Footnotes give contemporary and other authorities cited.

942 Great Britain—Parliament || Great Britain—History—Stuarts and Commonwealth, 1603-1714 A11-788/3

Fishberg, Maurice. The Jews; a study of race and environment (Contemporary science series) [N.Y.Scribner] Lond. W. Scott (Ja)1911. 578p. illus. $1.50. 6/

"A well written, readable and exhaustive book on the anthropology and pathology of the Jews, showing by statistical references a lack of homogeneity of physical type, of demographic characteristics, and in other matters, which all disprove the purity of the race. Although presented in a purely scientific form, one cannot help feeling throughout a strong bias." The author considers oppression and segregation the causes of so-called Jewish traits, and finds the solution of the Jewish problem in assimilation, not in Zionism.

296 Jews. Analytic for bibliography A11-142/3

Frost, William Dodge. A text-book of general bacteriology, by William Dodge Frost and Eugene Franklin McCampbell. N.Y.Macmillan(N)1910. 340p. illus. *$1.60 net.

This volume supplies the need for a general exposition of the subject of bacteriology which shall occupy a middle ground between the primer-like volumes and the special applications as in medicine and agriculture. It is more general and elementary and gives less space to medical bacteriology than Jordan's *General bacteriology* (Saunders, 1908, *$3) Though prepared for college classes and fairly technical it will be a useful work in larger libraries. Three chapters give the most recent results of the study of medical bacteriology; a chapter each discusses the bacteria of the soil, air, water and sewage, and the human body; and two chapters are devoted to the bacteria of milk and its products.

589.9 Bacteriology 10-26747/2

Galbraith, Anna Mary. Personal hygiene and physical training for women. Phil.Saunders(Ja)1911. 371p. illus. *$2 net.

One of the best books in English, combining a good hygiene, mental and physical, and practical chapters on physical training. Some of the advice on diet and on the use of home remedies is not universally indorsed by physicians, but this fault is not sufficient to militate against the general excellence of the work. The plates include more than fifty reproductions of photographs, illustrating perfectly the training exercises recommended. Full contents and index.

613 Woman—Health and hygiene || Physical education 11-1148/3

Garnett, Edward. Hogarth (Popular library of art) [N.Y.Dutton]Lond. Duckworth (D) 1910. 208p. illus. *75c. net. 2/ net.

A brief, well handled biography and critique based on Dobson (in *A. L. A. Catalog*), on other authoritative sources and on first-hand study of Hogarth's work. In addition to the colored frontispiece, about fifty paintings and engravings are described and reproduced, with a note on the present location of each. They have suffered somewhat from reduction but are clear and well defined. The volume is well fitted for the use of libraries not requiring so exhaustive or expensive a work as Dobson or Wheatley (*Booklist*, 6:261, Mr 10)

759.2 Hogarth, William A11-926/2

Gilman, *Mrs* Charlotte (Perkins) Stetson. The man-made world; or, Our androcentric culture. N.Y. Charlton co.(F)1911. 260p. *$1 net.

A study of the effect on human development and on society of masculine dominance, and a plea for an economic democracy resting on a free womanhood. Mrs Gilman's crit-

icisms on existing conditions are frank and sharp and her attitude is unnecessarily aggressive. The undeniable truth of many of her arraignments, however, and the reforms she indicates make the book interesting and stimulating.

396 Woman || Men || Civilization 11–35307/3

Gunn, James. The practical design of motor cars. [N.Y.Longmans] Lond. E. Arnold(S)1910. 256p. *$3 net. 10/6 net.

Differs from earlier works in dealing with the fundamental principles on which good design is based, describing and illustrating in detail the different parts of a car. There is no description of types of cars now in use. A book for the advanced student, written for classroom use by the lecturer on motor-car engineering at the Glasgow and West of Scotland Technical College.

629.1 Automobiles A10–2414/2

Haggard, Henry Rider. Regeneration. N.Y. & Lond. Longmans(N)1910. 264p. illus. *$1 net. 2/6 net.

An account of the varied work done by the Salvation Army in Great Britain. Written at General Booth's request, and containing records of the author's visits to many institutions of the army in England and Scotland, and of his impressions of them, it is pardonably biased and necessarily superficial. Appended are a note on the Salvation Army's religious belief, schedules of expenditures, notes on the army's future by Bramwell Booth and the army's articles of war.

267.15 Salvation army. Analytic: Booth, William A11–1206/4

Hamilton, Clarence Grant. Piano teaching; its principles and problems. Bost.Ditson, 1910. 171p. illus. $1.25.

Contains much sound advice to teachers on business methods and on relations with pupils, but is most valuable because of the special stress laid on expression in the chapters on technic, and for the explanations of methods for teaching the rhythmic, melodic and harmonic elements, and unity in interpretation. Musical illustrations are given, graded lists of compositions, each list designed to teach a certain point, and program suggestions for recitals. List of books mentioned in the text (3p.)

786 Pianoforte music—Study and teaching. Analytic for bibliography 10–26382/3

Hart, Hastings Hornell, *ed.* Juvenile court laws in the United States (Russell Sage foundation publications) N.Y. Charities pub. com. 1910. 150p. $1.50 postpaid.

Contains a summary of juvenile court laws in the United States arranged by states, a topical abstract of state laws governing the trial and disposition of juvenile offenders, and the juvenile court law of 1910 governing Rochester, N. Y., chosen as the model law. Intended for the use of judges and court officers, and to supplement *Preventive treatment of neglected children* (*Booklist*, 7:282, Mr 11)

364 Juvenile courts 10-23967/2

Hays, Willet Martin. Farm development. N.Y.Judd (D)1910. 391p. illus. $1.50.

A comprehensive manual discussing farming as a vocation, the selection of a farm home, planning the farm, subduing the land, drainage, irrigation, roads, bridges, and fences. The very practical chapters are based on notes used in teaching classes in an agricultural high school but will be useful for the average farmer. They are well illustrated with 281 half-tones, line drawings and diagrams.

630 Agriculture || Soils. Analytics: Irrigation || Roads || Fences 10-28182/7

Hecker, Eugene Arthur. A short history of women's ✠ rights from the days of Augustus to the present time. N.Y.Putnam(D)1910. 292p. *$1.50 net.

A clear, brief and authoritative account, written by a zealous advocate of women's rights. One chapter is given to modern English conditions and about a third of the work to the suffrage movement in the United States and to an alphabetic arrangement of states, giving the population, legal age of consent, and the chief provisions of laws governing property of husbands and wives, divorce, labor, suffrage, the political condition and industrial and professional status of women in each. List of sources follows each chapter.

396 Woman—Social and moral questions || Woman suffrage || Woman—Legal status, laws, etc. || Woman—Social and moral questions—Bibliography 10-30558/5

Hedin, Sven Anders. Overland to India. N.Y. & Lond.Macmillan(D)1910. 2 v. illus. maps. *$7.50 net. 30/ net.

An interesting but very detailed account of the author's experiences on the way from Teheran to Simla, covering a part of the route to Tibet which was not treated in the

earlier work, *Trans-Himalaya* (*Booklist*, 6:204, F 10) The 208 illustrations are from drawings by the author, water-color sketches and photographs, to which too high praise cannot be given. There are two maps and a satisfactory index.

915.5 Persia—Description and travel A11-19/3

Heine, Heinrich. Memoirs; from his work, letters and conversations; ed. by Gustav Karpeles; English tr. by Gilbert Cannan. N.Y.Lane[Lond. Heinemann](N)1910. 2v. illus. *$5 net. 12/ net.

The first complete English translation of the memoirs, to which have been added biographic passages from private letters and conversations, many of the minor poems and some prose fragments—all arranged in chronologic order to make up an incomplete but vivid and striking portrait of the man who counted Goethe his only superior. The work is interesting only for its autobiographical revelations, and adds little if anything of value to our knowledge of the poet. The translator has succeeded in imparting something of Heine's spirit to the prose, but the charm of the verse is gone.

921 11-4242/1

Heinrich, Max. Correct principles of classical singing. Bost.Lothrop(N)1910. 155p. **$1.50 net.

Not a textbook, but a series of somewhat loosely knit essays containing much excellent advice on voice production, personality and tone color, with suggestions of special value on breathing. The latter half of the volume is filled with musical illustrations from the scores of *The Messiah* and from Schubert, and brief talks on phrasing and interpretation. Advanced students and teachers who believe with Mr Heinrich that not all the great singers are great artists will find the work of considerable use.

784 Singing || Voice. Analytic: Oratorio 10-26383/5

Holme, Charles, *ed.* Peasant art in Sweden, Lapland and Iceland. N.Y. & Lond.Lane(N)1910. 48p. illus. 29cm. *$3 net. 5/ net.

Contains about six hundred extremely interesting and beautifully reproduced illustrations, in color and halftone, embracing examples of furniture, woodwork, metal-work, lace, tapestry, etc. Three brief articles are devoted to descriptions of the illustrations, with some attention to the customs of the countries. The illustrations will be valuable and suggestive to arts- and crafts-workers and to designers.

759.8 Art, Swedish || Art, Laplandian || Art, Icelandic 11-404/5

Hudson, William Henry. A shepherd's life. [N.Y. Dutton] Lond. Methuen (N) 1910. 361p. illus. map. **$2.50 net. 7/6 net.

The life of an old English shepherd furnishes the slight thread running through this rambling and interesting narrative. Upon it the author strings Wiltshire legends and customs, gossip of men and women, talk of sheep and shepherd dogs, and a great deal of out-of-the-way information on natural history. The frontispiece, "Old Sarum," in color is beautiful, and the sixty-four line drawings in the text excellent.

914.2 Wiltshire, England || Natural history—England
A11-146/4

Husband, Margaret Fair Anderson. A dictionary of the characters in the Waverley novels of Sir Walter Scott. [N. Y. Dutton] Lond. Routledge (N) 1910. 287p. *$3 net. 8/6 net.

An alphabetic list of the characters in the Waverley novels, giving brief descriptions, with occasional quotations and notes, title of the novel, but not references to chapters. A chronologic list of the novels is included, a note under each indicating the period and localities dealt with. A companion volume to Mudge and Sears' *Thackeray dictionary* (*Booklist*, 7:154, D 10) Hardly needed by smaller libraries having McSpadden's *Waverley synopses* (*Booklist*, 6:172, Ja 10) or Rogers' *Waverley dictionary*.

823 Scott, Sir Walter, bart. 10-30446/2

Jackson, Cyril. Unemployment and trade unions. N.Y. & Lond. Longmans (S) 1910. 92p. *50c. net. 1/6 net.

"A good study of attempts to relieve unemployment in England. The principal thesis is that remedies should be sought for through, or in cooperation with the trade union."

331.8 Unemployed || Labor and laboring classes || Trade unions. Analytic: Insurance, Unemployment 11-35304/5

Jackson, Vincent, *ed.* English melodies from the 13th to the 18th centuries. [N.Y. Dutton] Lond. Dent, 1910. 209p. *$3 net. 7/6

The one hundred songs in this collection include "Sumer is i-cumen in," most of the songs in Shakespeare's plays, "The vicar of Bray," "The ballad of Chevy Chase," "Barbara Allen," "Lilli burlero," and others often referred to in history and fiction. They are introduced by a brief his-

tory of English songmaking and sketches of composers. The harmonization is modern and the accompaniments not too difficult for the average amateur. The volume will be of special use to persons arranging pageants or giving old plays, but is badly bound for use at a piano.

784 Songs—Scores 11-35303/2

Jerrold, Laurence. The real France. N.Y. & Lond. Lane(Ja)1911. 288p. **$1.50 net. 5/ net.

An extremely readable interpretation of modern French political, social and intellectual tendencies from the point of view of an experienced English journalist who considers the national trait of France to be a combination of mobility of thought and feeling with solidity of character. His portraits of Clemenceau and Briand, "the most honestly unprincipled" statesman of his day, are especially timely and interesting. The work will appeal more to persons interested in French politics, economics and the drama than to the average reader or the prospective tourist.

914.4 France. Analytics: Clemenceau, Georges || Briand, Aristide || Fallières, Armand || French literature || French drama 11-5001/8

Le Rossignol, James Edward. State socialism in New Zealand, by James Edward Le Rossignol and William Downie Stewart. N.Y.Crowell (N)1910. 311p. maps. **$1.50 net.

A careful and impartial study of the political history of New Zealand, and its present economic, social and financial conditions, based on government reports, parliamentary debates, the New Zealand press and other sources. Comparisons made with conditions in the United States and the financial statement in both pounds and dollars add value to the work. Some of the results expected by advocates of the single tax have not materialized, and the authors point out defects in the present laws and indicate dangerous tendencies, but find on the whole that much progress has been made.

335 Socialism || Government ownership || New Zealand—Economic conditions || New Zealand—Politics and government. Analytics: Insurance, State and compulsory || Old age pensions 10-27332/7

The **life** of an enclosed nun, by a mother superior. N.Y.Lane[Lond.Fifield](Ja)1911. 124p. *$1 net. 6/

An interesting account of the daily and yearly routine and the religious experiences of an enclosed nun's life told in autobiographical form. It was written to refute charges of

oppression and cruelty that seemed to threaten the passage of a law demanding inspection, and matters are explained that are either unknown or misunderstood by Protestants.

271 Nuns 11-4459/3

Lloyd, Henry Demarest. Mazzini, and other essays. N.Y.Putnam(N)1910. 239p. **$1.50 net.

The author's literary executors have selected eight essays and occasional addresses which are excellently illustrative of Mr Lloyd's style, his social and economic convictions and the range of his interests. "A day with William Morris," "Emerson's wit and humor" and "No Mean City," a vision of Chicago prompted by the beauty of the World's Fair, are some of the titles.

304 Social problems. Analytics: Mazzini, Giuseppe || Morris, William || Emerson, Ralph Waldo || Vane, Sir Henry 10-27866/6

Lloyd, J. A. T. Two Russian reformers: Ivan Turgenev and Leo Tolstoy. N.Y.Lane[Lond. S. Paul](Ja)1911. 335p. illus. *$3.50 net. 10/6 net.

A sympathetic study of Turgenev, the early influences which shaped his conceptions of life and his real self as shown in his works, takes up two thirds of the volume, the rest of which is devoted to a similar study of Tolstoy, with some slight comparison of the two men. Despite the title, both are considered as artists rather than as constructive reformers. The study of Turgenev has some value, that of Tolstoi very little, especially to libraries having *Maude's Life* (*Booklist*, 7:291, Mr 10) Chronology and list of works of each, bibliography and index.

921 Turgenev, Ivan Sergieevich || Tolstoi, Leo Nikolaevich, *graf* 11-4137/4

Lodge, *Sir* **Oliver Joseph.** Parent and child. N. Y. ✠ & Lond.Funk(S)1910. 73p. *50c. net. 2/net.

Brief, suggestive essays, simple and direct in style, on the training and education of the child in such fashion as will best form "a personal character, a will, the separate individuality of a free being." Parental influence, imparting of knowledge, and preparation for life, science, literature and religion are the divisions of the discussion.

173 Parent and child || Children—Management || Education of children 10-22756/4

MacFarren, H. W. Practical stamp milling and amalgamation. San Francisco, Mining & Scientific press,1910. 166p. $2.

A practical, untechnical and fairly accurate treatise giving the details needed in every-day work. It is based on experience and extended observation, and its unpretentious simplicity will commend it to millmen and operators.

669.2 Gold-milling || Amalgamation 10-29539/3

McGlauflin, Isabelle. Handicraft for girls. Peoria, Ill., Manual arts press,1910. 122p. illus. $1.

A textbook outlining a tentative five-year public school course. Needlework, basketry, designing, paper and cardboard construction, textile fibers and fabrics, and home decoration and care are treated practically but necessarily incompletely. Directions for equipment and order of exercises are excellent. The illustrations are from very clear photographs of work and pattern drafts. It will be suggestive to mothers as well as to teachers.

646 Sewing || Handicraft. Analytics: Textile industry and fabrics || Dress || Basketry 10-26746/7

Maspero, *Sir* Gaston Camille Charles. Egypt: ancient sites and modern scenes; translated by Elizabeth Lee. [N.Y.Appleton] Lond.Unwin(Ja)1911. 330p. illus. *$4 net. 12/6 net.

One of the most practical and interesting books on the Egypt of today, as viewed in the light of its past. A note on the pronunciation of Egyptian names has been written especially for the English edition. The sixteen illustrations are reproductions of photographs and include a color plate of the ruins of Philae. The index is insufficient. Though more popular in subject and treatment, the work is in many ways a companion volume to the author's *New light on ancient Egypt* (*Booklist*, 5:142, My 09)

916.2 Egypt—Antiquities || Egypt—Description and travel. Analytic: Karnak A11-782/4

Meade, Edward Sherwood. Corporation finance. N.Y.Appleton(O)1910. 468p. *$2 net.

A graphic, logical and able portrayal of the financial operation of modern corporations. The author neither defends nor condemns practices that exist in corporate life, but merely describes them from the time of promotion to dissolution. The economic and legal theories of such practices are not touched on. A work of great value, especially to business men and students. See Sullivan (p. 343)

338.8 Corporations 10-24198/2

Merriman, Mansfield, *ed.* American civil engineers' pocket book. N.Y.Wiley(Ja)1911. 1380p. illus. *$5 net.

This new pocket book is of composite authorship, the different sections being furnished by leading American authorities in their respective subjects. It is fuller than and in several features a distinct improvement over Trautwine, heretofore the standard. The typography and binding are admirable.

620 Civil engineering 11-1327/2

Monroe, Paul, *ed.* A cyclopedia of education. v. 1, A-Chu. N.Y.Macmillan (Ja) 1911. 654p. illus. 28cm. *$5 net.

A work that promises to be of great usefulness. An examination of volume 1 justifies the editor's statements: "These volumes will include a concise discussion of all topics of importance and interest to the teacher, and will give such information concerning every division of educational practice as is essential to a book of reference. Completeness of treatment is not designed. Completeness of scope is attempted. . . The most practical and most immediate aim is to be of service to the rank and file of the teaching profession. To accomplish this end, the entire work is organized not simply as a book of reference, but also as a systematic treatise on each phase of the subject." This volume contains about a thousand entries, contributed by more than one hundred specialists. The system of cross-referencing is good, bibliographies are appended to entries where helpful, and there are frequent illustrations. Typography, paper and binding are excellent.

370.3 Education—Dictionaries, cyclopedias, etc. 11-1511/2

Mumby, Frank Arthur. The romance of bookselling. [Bost. Little] Lond. Chapman (Mr) 1911. 490p. illus. *$4.50 net. 16/ net.

The first adequate history of English bookselling and publishing. Two of its thirteen chapters are given to ancient days and to the origin of the Stationers Company, one to Caxton and his immediate successors, and the rest to Shakespeare's publishers, the relations of famous authors and of governments to publishers, and to the great English publishing houses of today. The work shows an immense amount of research and will be a delight to the booklover because of its charming style, but will have a limited appeal. The

many excellent illustrations are from old prints, portraits, engravings, trademarks, manuscripts and photographs. Bibliography (40p.) and full contents.

655.5 Booksellers and bookselling || Publishers and publishing. Analytic for bibliography 11-2221/5

Ogden, Henry Neely. Rural hygiene (Rural science
✢ series) N.Y.Macmillan(Ja)1911. 434p. illus. *$1.50 net.

An excellent work, written by the professor of sanitary engineering in Cornell University, who is also special engineer to the New York State Department of Health. It covers practically the same ground as Brewer's *Rural hygiene* (*Booklist*, 6:197, Je 09) but is fuller, more detailed, slightly more scholarly and in general of greater usefulness. It is untechnical, suited to the average reader and to village health officers.

614 Hygiene, Public || Country houses—Sanitation. Analytic: Contagious and infectious diseases 11-1193/5

Osborne, Charles Francis. The family house. Phil.
✢ Penn,1910. 236p. illus. **$1 net.

Practical suggestions, intended for persons of limited means, on all the points to be considered in buying or building a home. In several matters it supplements both Bevier's *The house* (*Booklist*, 3:160, O 07) and Clark's *Care of a house* (in *A. L. A. Catalog*) The illustrations include diagrams showing the sunlight on different walls in summer and winter and many floor plans.

728 Architecture, Domestic 11-627/3

Parker, Theodore. Autobiography, poems and prayers; ed. with notes by Rufus Leighton. Bost.
Amer. unitarian ass'n,1910. 486p. $1.

Included in the fragmentary autobiography are "The true idea of a Christian church," "Of the position and duty of a minister," and "Some account of my ministry," which contains an exposition of Mr Parker's creed, his attitude toward public questions and references to the difficulties he encountered when he began to preach his conception of "absolute religion." "Prayers," "Parables," "Experience as a minister" and a group of poems follow. The copious notes contain much biographical information and many sidelights on the anti-slavery and other movements in which Mr Parker was interested. The latest volume in the Centenary edition of Parker's works; for earlier volume see *Booklist*, 6:229, F 10.

921 11-35311/

Petrie, William Matthew Flinders. The growth of the Gospels as shown by structural criticism. [N.Y.Baker & Taylor]Lond. Murray (D) 1910. 99p. **90c. net. 2/6 net.

The author finds by a process of elimination and comparison that as early as 50 A. D. there existed a documentary accretion which he calls the "Nucleus," on which the three synoptic gospels are clearly based. This Nucleus he presents with tables explaining the relation of the gospels to it, and analyzes them in the light it throws upon their growth. A book for Bible students, all of whom will not agree to the elimination of subjective criticism.

226 Bible—N. T.—Gospels 11-35306/2

Phillpotts, Eden. Wild fruit. N.Y.&Lond.Lane(Ja) 1911. 157p. †$1.50. 5/ net.

A collection of poems grouped under the heads: Songs and jests; Poems of feeling; Sonnets, and Poems of seeing. As a whole they possess distinction, strength and real poetic feeling. The sonnets, "The grave of Keats," "A memory," "Samuel Langhorne Clemens" (Mark Twain) and the longer poem "The scythe-bearer," are perhaps the most notable among them.

821 A11-23/2

Pierce, George Washington. Principles of wireless telegraphy. N.Y.McGraw-Hill(S)1910. 350p. illus. *$3 net.

An excellent work for the student, scientific and authoritative. Its distinguishing features are its completeness as to practical points and the amount of information on recent developments it contains. Author is assistant professor of physics in Harvard University.

654 Wireless telegraphy 10-21617/2

Podmore, Frank. The newer spiritualism. [N.Y.Holt] Lond. Unwin (F) 1911. 320p. *$2.75 net. 8/6 net.

After describing fully the methods of "mediums," including Eusapia Palladino and her unmasking by the Society of Psychical Research, the author proceeds to an interesting and extremely fair consideration of the society's recent activities, with special attention to the "cross-correspondences" and the experiments made through Mrs Piper, Mrs Thompson and others since the deaths of Hodgson and Myers. He finds no evidence of spirit communication, differing from Professor

James' tentative conclusions, but supports with newest evidence the hypothesis of telepathy which Tanner (*Booklist*, 7:159, D 10), treating the subject much less exhaustively, rejects.

134 Spiritualism || Psychical research 11-833/4

Ricci, Corrado. Art in northern Italy (General history of art) N.Y.Scribner[Lond.Heinemann] 1911. 372p. illus. *$1.50 net. 6/ net.

A critique and history of painting, architecture and sculpture in northern Italy, by the director general of fine arts and antiquities of Italy. Each city or province is treated separately, but chronologically, and the text though condensed is very readable. The illustrations include four color prints and 590 small but clear halftones in the text. Bibliography, containing no English works, after each chapter, and full index with star references to illustrations. For series note, see Armstrong (*Booklist*, 6:235, Mr 10)

759.5 Art, Italian || Art, Italian—Bibliography 11-3662/3

Roberts, Peter. Immigrant races in North America. N.Y., Y.M.C.A. press(O)1910. 109p. illus. maps. 75c.

Summarizes a good deal of information on the twelve groups of peoples represented in the United States under the headings: language, government, religion, immigration. A brief bibliography is given for each group. Written by the immigration secretary of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. Associations for use of their workers; it will be convenient for reference in libraries.

325 Immigration || Race problems 10-25245/3

Robinson, Charles Henry. The interpretation of the character of Christ to non-Christian races. N.Y. & Lond.Longmans(Mr)1910. 200p. *$1.20 net. 3/6 net.

After analyzing the four leading non-Christian religions, and showing that in spite of their high ideals, they lack the moral motive power of Christianity, the author urges a presentation of Christ to "the adherents of non-Christian cults as a teacher who comes not to destroy but to fulfill their own highest law." The concluding chapter discusses the keener perception of natural beauty awakened by Christianity. As a whole the work is a readable and helpful plea for renewed missionary activity.

266 Missions || Christianity and other religions. Analytics: Hinduism || Buddha and Buddhism || Confucius and Confucianism || Mohammed and Mohammedanism A10-563/7

Roosevelt, Theodore. The new nationalism. N.Y. Baker & Taylor (D) 1910. 268p. $1.50.

Selections from the speeches delivered in fourteen states by Mr Roosevelt between August 23 and September 11, 1910, grouped under "The new nationalism," "The old moralities," "The word and the deed," and "The new nationalism and the old moralities." An *Outlook* editorial by Lyman Abbott completes the volume. Introduction by Ernest Hamlin Abbott.

304 U. S.—Politics and government || Political ethics || Citizenship 11-19/5

Salisbury, Rollin D. Elementary physiography (American science series—Elementary course) N.Y. Holt, 1910. 359p. illus. maps. *$1.30 net.

An admirable text, adapted from the author's earlier work, *Physiography* (*Booklist*, 4:149, My 08), intended for use in a half-year high school course. "As compared with the larger book, a few topics have been omitted, but more have been abbreviated and simplified."—*Preface.* References for extended reading follow each chapter.

551 Physical geography 10-22102/2

—— *ed.* Outlines of geologic history, with especial reference to North America. Chic. Univ. of Chicago press (Jl) 1910. 306p. illus. *$1.50 net.

These sixteen papers, presented before section E of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in Baltimore, December 1908, were written by almost as many geologists of authority and "embody the present state of knowledge and opinion concerning many of the fundamental problems of North American geology." They will be of interest to scholars, but presuppose too much technical information for the layman. Originally printed in *Journal of Geology.*

557 Geology 10-16116/2

Samuel, Arthur. Piranesi. [N.Y. Scribner] Lond. Batsford (F) 1911. 215p. illus. *$5 net. 12/6 net.

"An interesting but discursive account of the life and work of Piranesi, dealing largely with his influence on the etching, the architecture and the design of furniture and pottery in England. Profusely illustrated with excellent reproductions of characteristic etchings. A bibliography and a list of Piranesi's publications are appended."

760 Piranesi, Giovanni Battista. Analytic for bibliography 11-35305/3

Sharp, Evelyn. Rebel women. N. Y. & Lond. Lane (N)1910. 131p. **$1 net.

Contains fourteen short sketches giving the experiences of English suffragettes, most of them related in the first person. They are not only well written, but are totally devoid of sensationalism, contain both humor and pathos and are informed with a spirit of inflexible conviction and devotion to the cause. Interesting light is thrown on the attitude of the English working people toward the suffrage movement.

324.3 Woman suffrage 10-27740/3

Sisson, Edward Octavius. The essentials of charac- ✠ ter. N.Y.&Lond.Macmillan(N)1910. 214p. *$1 net. 4/6 net.

A practical and scholarly study of character building in education. Though of value primarily to educators, the work is so clear and readable that parents and general readers will find it interesting and helpful. Classified and annotated bibliography (2p.) and lists for suggested reading for each chapter (4p.)

377.2 Character || Moral education. Analytic for bibliography 10-28338/5

Stawell, *Mrs* **Rodolph.** Motor tours in the west country. [N.Y.Doran] Lond.Hodder (My) 1910. 228p. illlus. *$1.75 net. 6/ net.

Description of seven trips through Somerset, Devon and Cornwall, giving a pleasant commentary on the scenery, history and objects of interest. Frequent hints for motorists are interspersed and a table of distances between points and a note on the character of the roads precede each chapter. There are three route maps and many pretty photographic illustrations. A companion to *Motor tours in Wales and the border counties* (*Booklist*, 6:51, O 09)

914.2 Automobile touring || England—Description and travel A10-2402/4

Sullivan, John James. American corporations. N.Y Appleton(O)1910. 455p. *$2 net.

"A practical, lucid, full and concise exposition of the legal and financial life and operations of a corporation. Corporations are treated from the time of their promotion to and through the time of their possible dissolution. The work is primarily adapted for students and business men who have not the time to make an exhaustive study of corporation law and finance, though it is not without usefulness to the lawyer. The book is chiefly valuable because of the

legal forms used in organizing and operating a corporation, and of the abstract cases, decided by the highest courts, illustrative of the state corporation law on difficult questions. Covers a ground not heretofore taken up in any similar treatise."

338.8 Corporations || Corporation law 10-23687/3

Swingle, Calvin Franklin. Elevators, hydraulic and electric. Chic.F.J.Drake(S)1910. 100p. illus. $1.

A brief manual for engineers, describing and illustrating the leading types of hydraulic and electric elevators, including recent improvements. There is a practical section on safety devices. See Baxter (p. 353)

621.8 Elevators 10-15609/2

Tracy, Susan Edith. Studies in invalid occupation.
✠ Bost.Whitcomb & Barrows(D)1910. 175p. illus. *$1.50 net.

A very practical and suggestive book for nurses and all others having the care of invalids. A large variety of busy-work and actual occupations is considered, including methods of teaching, equipment, etc., and their applicability to use with children, nervous cases, old people, the business man, the blind, the insane, and other types of patients. The style is very readable, the illustrations good.

680 Nurses and nursing || Occupations || Occupations (for children) || Invalids || Handicraft 11-603/7

Trezise, Frederick James. Letters and letter construction. Chic.Inland printer co.(F)1911. 158p. illus. $2.

A practical treatise for beginners, containing diagrams explaining the method of constructing Roman and italic letters, with instruction on Gothic lettering, the making of initials, spacing, etc. More space is devoted to decorative initials, borders, and cover and page designing in general than is usual in books on lettering. Many cover designs, plates of Egyptian, Greek, Celtic and other decorative forms, symbols, borders and tail- and head-pieces are given.

745 Lettering. Analytic: Decoration and ornament 11-1084/3

Vrooman, Carl Schurz. American railway problems in the light of European experience, or Government regulation vs. government operation of railways. N.Y.Oxford univ. press(D)1910. 376p. *$2 net.

"A dispassionate and painstaking account of the experience of various countries with the problems of government regulation or ownership."—*Nation*, 91:549, 8 D 10. The author favors government ownership, and the work, while not entirely convincing, is extremely interesting and in its use of statistics and argument much more conservative and scientific than Van Wagenen's *Government ownership of railways* (N. Y. Putnam, 1910, $1.25, 10–22433) Footnotes indicate authorities cited. Appended are Lamartine's warning and the Swiss and Italian laws governing railways.

385 Railroads—U. S. || Railroads and state || Government ownership A10–1620/4

Walford, *Mrs* Lucy Bethia (Colquhoun) Recollections of a Scottish novelist. [N.Y.Longmans] Lond.Williams & Norgate(D)1910. 317p. illus. *$3 net. 10/6 net.

The first and more valuable half of these reminiscences is devoted to the author's childhood and gives a pleasant picture of early Victorian life among the Scottish gentry. The second half is chiefly a record of the circumstances under which her forty-five successful books were written, of her friendships, her family and a few anecdotes of noted Englishmen, Scots and Americans. The style, much like that of her novels, makes it all very readable, though as a whole the work is disappointing. A characteristic short story, *Nan*, long out of print, is appended. The illustrations consist of portraits, views of Scottish homes, caricatures, etc.

921 Scotland—Social life and customs A11–1488/2

Wallach, *Mrs* Isabel (Richman) A second book in English for foreigners. N.Y.Silver (D) 1910. 256p. illus. *50c. net.

A supplementary text to the *First book* (1906) in which "the subject matter has been carefully planned to give foreigners who have come to America to seek homes and livelihoods information of direct practical value." The illustrations are well chosen but poorly reproduced.

428 English language—Study and teaching (for foreigners) 10–1459/2

Widtsoe, John Andreas. Dry-farming (Rural science series) N.Y.Macmillan (Ja) 1911. 445p. illus. maps. *$1.50 net.

This work, written by the president of the Utah Agricultural College, gives an accurate and very complete survey of the subject, considering climatic features, soils, crops, implements, irrigation, and the history and present status of

dry-farming. It is the best and most comprehensive work in print, and is excellent in illustration and mechanical makeup.

631 Dry farming 11-1531/2

Yoxall, *Sir* **James Henry.** The A B C about collecting. [Phil.Jacobs] Lond.S.Paul,1910. 382p. illus. **$2 net. 5/ net.

An enthusiastic and comprehensive work on collecting china, furniture, prints, old frames, British-made violins, miniatures, grandfather clocks and other rariora. The chapters on English pottery are the most full and contain much information on the different wares, their marks, and their counterfeits, with anecdotes from the author's experience or that of other collectors. English readers are addressed, and English prices quoted, but the book is equally valuable and fascinating to the American collector. The seventy-four illustrations are from photographs or drawings and show examples of articles in all the fields the author mentions.

738 Pottery. Some libraries may wish to analyze fully (about 14 cards) A11-843/3

Zueblin, Charles. Democracy and the overman. N.Y. Huebsch(N)1910. 217p. *$1 net.

These essays "show the difficulty that true democracy has in America against the 'overman,' or aggressive self-satisfied offspring of business and finance" (*Publishers' Weekly*) They are original and stimulating, but charged with sarcasm, and in many statements are neither fair nor exact.

304 Social problems 11-644/3

FICTION

Audoux, Marguerite. Marie-Claire, tr. by John N. Raphael. [N.Y.Doran] Lond.Chapman (F) 1911. 210p. *$1.20 net. 6/

The story of the early life of a French seamstress, told by herself. Rare simplicity and a total lack of self-consciousness distinguish the account of her experience in a Catholic orphan asylum and of her life as shepherdess and maid-servant on a farm. The novel in its French original received the Goncourt prize for the best work of fiction published in France last year. The translation though excellent in its adherence to the spirit of the original is not without some serious faults. Introduction by Arnold Bennett.

11-1929/2

Buchan, John. The great diamond pipe. N.Y.Dodd (Ja)1911. 309p. **$1.20 net.

Well written account of the adventures of a Scotch lad who goes to South Africa to keep an "up country store," becomes a chief figure in a native uprising and shares in the discovery of a new diamond "pipe." A story likely to appeal to men and boys. Published in England under title *Prester John.*

10-23203/2

Chalmers, Stephen. A prince of romance. Bost. ✠ Small(F)1911. 340p. *$1.20 net.

A flash-in-the-pan Jacobite uprising in a Scottish coast village in 1812 is stirred up with Napoleon's connivance in order to harass England. The agent is a young American whose remarkable resemblance to "bonnie Prince Charlie" is sufficient to make many chiefs accept him as the Pretender's nephew and rightful king of Scotland. The Jacobite loyalty coloring and a pretty love story lend charm to the romance.

11-1450/2

Hale, *Mrs* **Louise Closser.** The married Miss Worth. N.Y.Harper(F)1911. 298p. **$1.20 net.

Story of the "professional jealousy" which disturbs the married happiness of an actor and his wife when, after playing in the same company for four years, she is offered a leading rôle and he refuses to play second to her. An admirable and wholly accurate picture of real stage life, which should effectually discourage the stage-struck. The earlier half appeared in the *Ladies Home Journal.*

11-1520/2

Harrison, *Mrs* **Mary St. Ledger (Kingsley)** The golden galleon, by Lucas Malet. N.Y.Doran[Lond. Hodder(O)1910. 158p. *$1.20 net. 5/

The little silver-gilt galleon in full sail given to a middle-aged spinster by her lodger becomes a "ship-o'-dreams" to her, the one touch of romance in her gray life. When the lodger is discovered to be a burglar and the booty innocently concealed by his landlady is carried off by the police, no owner is found for the toy, and it is returned to her, the symbol now of a lost ideal. A prettily sentimental and pathetic story, excellently told. Too slight for the price.

10-22136/2

Kingsley, *Mrs* **Florence (Morse)** To the highest
✢ bidder. N. Y. Dodd (Ja) 1911. 302p. **$1.20 net.

A New England girl sells her services for a term of five years, in order to obtain money to pay the mortgage on the farm left to herself and her orphaned half-brother. Why the services are never exacted and what becomes of the mortgage makes an obvious but pleasant love story. The half-brother is a delightful six-year-old, reminding one of David in *The awakening of Helena Richie.*

11-848/2

London, Jack. When God laughs, and other stories. N.Y.Macmillan(Ja)1911. 319p. illus. $1.50.

Twelve short stories reprinted from various magazines. They are of unequal merit and in type vary from the sentimental to the revoltingly brutal.

11-1311/2

Luk-Oie, Ole, *pseud.* The green curve and other stories. Garden City, N.Y.,Doubleday (F) 1911. 313p. $1.20 fixed.

Short, arresting stories of the modern and future science of war. Devoid of romance and without brutality, their very uncommon quality lies in a certain cold, impersonal and scientific attitude. "The joint in the harness," "The point of view" and "The kite" are reprinted from *McClure's Magazine.*

A11-1495/2

Marks, Jeannette Augustus. The end of a song.
✢ Bost.Houghton(Mr)1911. 259p. *$1.15 net.

Records with a large fund of sympathy and quiet humor the eventful changes that the need of supplying homes for twelve

orphaned children cause in a tiny Welsh village. A longer story than *Through Welsh doorways,* and one that will be useful for reading aloud.

11-4935/2

Second, Henry. Captivating Mary Carstairs. Bost. ✠ Small(F)1911. 346p. *$1.30 net.

A buoyant and pleasant story, relating the efforts of a young New Yorker and his friend to beguile a young girl aboard a yacht and take her to her divorced father, whom she has refused to see. A well handled account of municipal corruption, an exciting village campaign, and an atmosphere of youthful exuberance give the tale distinction among stories of its class; it has no literary merit.

11-5228/2

Spearman, Frank Hamilton. Robert Kimberly. N.Y. Scribner(F)1911. 437p. illus. *$1.30 net.

Pictures life among a small circle of people who owe their millions to a large sugar-refining business, managed by one Robert Kimberly—a masterful, compelling man, faulty but likable. His love for a young woman who is unhappily married to an unworthy man financially dependent on him, her surrender to the situation and agreement to a divorce—though a Catholic, are the main elements in an interesting but on the whole unconvincing story. The author's picture of fast society is inferior to Churchill's in *The modern chronicle,* but he gives us less of its vulgarities and fewer repellent characters.

11-2974/2

Watson, Henry Brereton Marriott. Alise of Astra. ✠ Bost.Little(F)1911. 312p. $1.50.

A good example of the *Prisoner of Zenda* school of fiction. The scene is the little principality of Eisenburg, in whose intrigues a young Englishman becomes involved. The character drawing is poor, but the action good.

11-2072/2

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Allen, Nellie Burnham. Industrial studies: United
✠ States. Bost.Ginn(N)1910. 335p. illus. *65c. net.

Describes in pleasing narrative the great industries of the United States and the processes connected with them. Four introductory chapters give the physical geography connected with the industries described. The work is based on material used by the author in adding interest to geography lessons, and will be helpful to grade teachers in general. The numerous halftones illustrate the text admirably.

600 U. S.—Industries. Analytics: Cotton || Sugar || Fruit || Wheat || Corn || Iron || Gold || Silver || Cattle || Sheep and wool || Lumbering || Fish and fishing 10-26752/14

Coulson, Constance J. D. Korea (Peeps at many
✠ lands) [N.Y.Macmillan] Lond. Black (D) 1910. 84p. illus. map. *75c. net. 1/6 net.

A simple, interesting account of the history, people and customs of Korea, including two chapters on Seoul. The author writes from first-hand acquaintance and her experiences in the country include visits in Korean houses and an audience with the emperor. A Korean fairy tale concerning the cleverness of "Bre'r Rabbit" is given. Most of the twelve color plates are by the author. Buy in Chivers binding.

915.19 Korea A10-2549/2

Foote, Anna Elizabeth. Makers and defenders of America, by Anna Elizabeth Foote and Avery Warner Skinner (Eclectic readings) N.Y. Amer. book co.(D)1910. 342p. *60c. net.

The second volume in a series of two which are intended to teach United States history through biographies of history-makers. It begins with a brief chapter on the causes of the Revolution and ends with a sketch of Andrew Carnegie. The style is simple and dignified and the choice of subjects excellent. At the end of each chapter are directions for written work, map work, topical outline and a brief classified bibliography for collateral reading. For note on earlier volume see *Booklist*, 4:248, S-O 08.

973 U. S.—History || U. S.—Biography. Small libraries will find analytics useful (30 cards) 10-30724/4

Forrester, Izola L. The Polly Page yacht club. Phil. ✣ Jacobs(D)1910. 351p. illus. †$1.25.

Six Virginia schoolgirls spend the summer on the Maine coast, where they have a camp, learn to swim and sail catboats, study conchology, etc. A bright, wholesome story, fairly well written, with no sentimentality and no sensational incidents. The type, illustrations and binding are good, the picture covers pretty.

10-28495/2

—— Those Preston twins. Bost.Wilde (O) 1910. 254p. illus. $1.25.

Story of the loyal comradeship between a twin brother and sister of fourteen living with their mother in a lake town near Chicago, where their poverty neither warps their natures nor prevents them from holding their own in school and in sports. A high patriotic ideal characterizes the tale. Excellent in type, paper and binding.

10-27862/2

Gilliat, Edward. Heroes of the Elizabethan age. Phil. Lippincott [Lond.Seeley] (Ja) 1911. 335p. illus. *$1.50 net. 5/

An interesting picture of Queen Elizabeth and the England of her day, with well written accounts of Hudson, John Smith, Raleigh, Sidney, Drake, Gilbert, etc. Frequent quotations from contemporary writers add value to the narrative, which will appeal to adults as well as to older boys and girls. The sixteen illustrations are by different artists and excepting the reproductions of paintings by Collier and by Millais are of no great merit. The book is poorly bound and the paper cheap, but its appearance very attractive.

920 England—Biography || Explorers. Small libraries will find analytics useful (13 cards) A11-449/4

Godfrey, Hollis. Jack Collerton's engine(Young captains of industry) Bost. Little (S) 1910. 285p. $1.25.

"Story of a lad who goes abroad to exhibit his father's airship in a contest. Despite the theft of his engine and various exciting adventures in regaining it he finally enters the contest and wins." A very improbable tale, made up of a series of sensational incidents, but it is harmless and will meet the demand for "an airship story" till something better is available. This and the earlier book by this author, *For the Norton name,* are good books to give boys who ask for Alger and Optic.

10-21637/2

Grierson, Elizabeth W. The Scottish fairy book. N.Y.Stokes[Lond.Unwin](S)1910. 382p. illus. †$1.50. 6/ net.

Thirty-nine well told stories, including some found in Jacobs' *English fairy tales* and *Celtic fairy tales* (in *A. L. A. Catalog*), with many others not included in general collections. After the stories is given the Scotch version, with illustrations, of the birthday rhymes beginning "Monday's child has a bonnie face." Copiously and charmingly illustrated with line drawings in black and white and decorated initials in red. Glossary. A worthy companion to the author's *Children's book of Celtic stories* (*Booklist*, 5:150, My 09)

398 Fairy tales W10-343/3

Masefield, John. A book of discoveries. N.Y.Stokes [Lond.Gardner & Darton](N)1910. 354p. illus. *$1.75 net. 6/

Two English boys of inquiring mind explore the country, often in company with a man friend, who tells them about ancient Britain and in other ways supplements their own meager knowledge and satisfies their curiosity. The story is very well told and will interest some boys of ten and older. "In spite of Sanford and Merton touches it should help boys to a deeper appreciation of the country side." Excellent in type and paper and attractively bound. The pleasing illustrations are by Gordon Browne.

A11-1491/2

Masson, Rosaline. Edinburgh (Peeps at many lands) [N.Y.Macmillan] Lond.Black (N) 1910. 96p. illus. map. *75c. net. 1/6 net.

A lively, enthusiastic narrative concerning the romantic history of Edinburgh, its famous men, its university and the streets and closes of the modern city. Adults and older boys and girls will enjoy it. The twelve color-plates include portraits of Queen Mary, King James and an admirable reproduction of Raeburn's Sir Walter Scott. Map on end papers. Buy in Chivers binding.

914.1 Edinburgh A10-1974/2

NEW EDITIONS

Aikin, William A. The voice. N.Y. & Lond.Longmans(N)1910. 159p. *$2.25 net. 7/6 net.

A new edition of *The voice; its physiology and cultivation* (in *A. L. A. Catalog*) entirely rewritten, enlarged fifty-seven pages and remodeled to serve as an introduction to phonology.

784 Voice A11-1486/2

Asbjörnsen, Peter Christen. Norse fairy tales, selected and adapted from the translations by Sir G. W. Dasent; with illus. by Reginald L. Knowles and Horace J. Knowles. [Phil.Lippincott]Lond.S.T.Freemantle(D)1910. 463p. $1.75. 6/ net.

Selections from the *Popular tales from the Norse*, first published in 1859, with a few from *Tales from the fjeld*. In this collection are added some of the stories that were not included in the first edition, published in 1861, because of their unsuitability for children's use; they have now been modified for this purpose. An attractive edition, with good type and binding, and illustrations, colored plates and woodcuts, in keeping with the text.

398 Fairy tales A11-1492/3

Barr, John Henry. Kinematics of machinery. 2d ed. rev. N.Y.Wiley(F)1911. 264p. illus. $2.50.

Several new articles have been added to the original text (in *A. L. A. Catalog*) notably those on helical gears and methods of gear-cutting. A number of chapters have been wholly or partly rewritten, many minor errors have been corrected and several figures withdrawn.

621 Machinery 11-1150/2

Baxter, William, jr. Hydraulic elevators, their design, construction, operation, care and management. N.Y.McGraw-Hill(Je)1910. 325p. illus. *$2.50 net.

Discusses the construction, operation and care of different types of hydraulic elevators in a way to be easily understood by the average reader. The present edition has been entirely rewritten and so much enlarged over the first edition (Engineering pub. co. 1905, 175p. $1) as to be practically a new book. See Swingle (p. 344)

621.87 Elevators 10-12079/2

Beard, Daniel Carter. Dan Beard's animal book and camp-fire stories. N.Y.Moffat (O) 1910. 607p. illus. *$1.75 net.

Practically a reprint of the first edition (*Booklist*, 4:55, F 08) with five added chapters including directions for identifying and sketching birds, a comparison of structure of man and animals, and miscellaneous animal stories. Appended are the "honors" and rules adopted by the Camp-fire Club of America, December 10, 1908.

590 Animals—Stories (1907 ed.) 8-3274/3

Black, Henry Campbell. Law dictionary. 2d ed. St. Paul, West pub. co.(D)1910. 1314p. *$6 net.

A revised and enlarged edition of a work first published in 1891, admirable for its conciseness, arrangement, division of titles, and typographical form. The changes include the incorporation of many new terms, a great number of additional citations to decide cases in which the terms or phrases have been judicially defined, and, in particular, many valuable additions in the department of medical jurisprudence and that of legal maxims. The arrangement has been improved by the grouping of all compound and descriptive terms and phrases under the main heading, in the manner of the *Century Dictionary*.

340 Law—Dictionaries, cyclopedias, etc. 10-31007/2

Clarke, *Mrs* Mary Cowden (Victoria Novello) The complete concordance to Shakespeare. Rev. ed. [N.Y.Scribner]Lond. Bickers, 1910. 860p. *$5 net.

A less expensive reprint of this standard concordance, differing from the last edition (Scribner, 1888, $7.50) only in having inferior paper and a cheaper binding.

822.3 Shakespeare, William (1871 ed.) 4-20730/2

Crane, Walter, *illus.* The Buckle my shoe picture book. N.Y.Lane(O)1910. v. p. illus. **$1.25 net.

The latest of the series of Crane reprints. Contains "One, two, buckle my shoe," "A gaping-wide-mouth-waddling-frog" and the poem "My mother," three separate picture books bound in one. The drawings and decorations are only fairly good examples of Walter Crane's work. The coloring, though crude, will appeal to little children.

A11-567/2

Cromwell, John Howard. The American business woman. 2d ed. rev. N.Y.& Lond.Putnam(N) 1910. 375p. illus. **$2 net. 7/6 net.

This excellent business manual has been revised to include recent changes in laws and customs and a treatment of some new topics, and has been much abridged by the generalization of the subject matter to a greater extent and the omission of many legal details which are likely to go out of date and necessitate frequent revision. First edition in *A. L. A. Catalog.*

658 Business || Investments 10-25247/4

Davenport, Charles Benedict. Elements of zoology to accompany the field and laboratory study of animals. N.Y.Macmillan (F) 1911. 508p. illus. *$1.25 net.

"The book deals with common animals and their habits, homes, their life histories and their systematic, economical and ecological relations."—*Science.* In this revision more attention has been given to anatomy than in the first edition (Macmillan, 1900, $1.10) Many illustrations have been added and the book enlarged nearly one hundred pages. The laboratory guide has been omitted. Bibliography (20p.)

590 Zoology. Analytic for bibliography 11-1702/2

Day, Lewis Forman. Alphabets old and new. 3d ed. rev. [N.Y.Scribner]Lond.Batsford(F)1911. 256p. illus. *$2 net. 5/ net.

An enlarged edition of a standard book (in *A. L. A. Catalog*) containing thirty-five more illustrations than the second, of which the most noteworthy are specimens of seventeenth century penmanship. The price has been advanced from $1.50 to $2.

745 Alphabets || Lettering 11-35310/3

Dugdale, Richard L. The Jukes. 4th ed. N.Y. & Lond.Putnam(D)1910. 120p. *$1.50 net. 5/6 net.

Reprint of a valuable study in criminality and heredity, of which the third edition (published in 1877; in *A. L. A. Catalog*) has long been out of print. Franklin H. Giddinsg contributes an introduction.

364 Crime and criminals || Poor || Heredity 11-1441/5

Goldsmith, Oliver. Complete poems. N.Y.Putnam, 1910. 191p. illus. $1.50.

A serviceable, pleasing and inexpensive edition illustrated with nine excellent photogravures by Frederick Simpson Coburn. There is an extended biographical and critical introduction by Horatio Sheafe Krans, an ardent admirer of Goldsmith, and sufficiently full notes, including variorum readings.

821 A11-1494/1

Hall, William Edward. A treatise on international law. 6th ed. [N.Y.Oxford univ. press]Lond. Clarendon press,1909. 768p. *$6 net. 21/

A standard English text of recognized worth. This revision embodies the developments since the edition of 1904. The Hague Conference of 1907 and the London Naval Conference are succinctly discussed and the extent of probable acceptance of the results is indicated. Emphasis is placed on the Geneva Convention of 1906 and the spread of the principle of arbitration in the recent conventional agreements. See Lawrence, (p. 359)

341 International law 10-15076/2

Hart, Albert Bushnell. Formation of the Union, 1750-1829 (Epochs of American history) 23d ed. N.Y.Longmans(O)1910. 278p. maps. *$1.25 net.

This edition differs from the eighth (in *A. L. A. Catalog*) in that the bibliographies, both the general ones and those at the beginnings of chapters, have been entirely rewritten and brought to date, and there have been minor changes in the maps and text.

973 U. S.—History || U. S.—Politics and government 10-28363/4

Hassall, Arthur. European history chronologically arranged, 476-1910. N.Y. & Lond.Macmillan (D)1910. 419p. *$1.60 net. 8/6 net.

The synchronologic table has been extended from the close of the Franco-German War, where the 1897 edition (in *A. L. A. Catalog*) ended, to the close of 1909. The summaries, genealogies and lists of sovereigns have been brought to the same date.

940 Europe—History A10-1800/2

Henry, William Arnon. Feeds and feeding. 10th ed. rev. Madison, Wis.,Author(O)1910. 613p. $2.25.

The best American book on the subject, formerly published in 1898 (in *A. L. A. Catalog*) In this, the first complete revision the text has been entirely rewritten and made to cover recent investigations at home and abroad and the latest experiment station findings. The appendix tables have been extended and brought to date. Some old experiments have been supplanted by later ones. A different type and larger page have been adopted and the total content of the book increased. Essentially a work for the student or scientific farmer.

636 Feeding and feeding stuffs || Domestic animals
10–27197/3

Hopkins, Albert Allis, *ed.* The Scientific American cyclopedia of formulas. N.Y.Munn (Ja) 1911. 1077p. $5.

While this revision includes about thirty per cent of the material in the twenty-eighth edition of the *Scientific American cyclopedia of receipts, notes and queries* (in *A. L. A. Catalog*) it is practically a new book. Much new matter has been added, amounting to an increase of about 370p. over the former edition. The formulas are classified and grouped in chapters. An extensive section has been added on chemical and technical processes. The detailed index referring to chapter sideheads, which are printed in heavy, clear type, make it more convenient to use than the old edition.

603 Receipts || Industrial arts 11–409/4

Ingelow, Jean. Mopsa, the fairy. Phil. Lippincott (S)1910. 256p. illus. $1.50.

Attractive edition with ten illustrations in color by Maria L. Kirk, and head- and tail-pieces in line drawing. The type and paper are excellent and the red cover pleasing. Uniform with Macdonald's *Princess and the goblin* and *Princess and Curdie* (*Booklist,* 5:64, F 09)

10–21334/2

Irving, Washington. Tales from the Alhambra, ✢ adapted by Josephine Brower. Bost.Houghton (N)1910. 213p. illus. *$1.25 net.

Contents: Introduction—Legend of the Arabian astrologer—Legend of Prince Ahmed al Kamel—Legend of the Moor's legacy—Legend of the three beautiful princesses—Legend of the rose of the Alhambra—Legend of the two discreet statues.

Six of the Alhambra stories simplified but not "written down." The changes are on the whole discreetly made, and include besides an occasional rewording or omission to gain simplicity, a toning down or elimination of passages unsuited

to the child mind. A convenient volume for the story-teller. The color plates, one for each legend drawn by C. E. Brock, are pretty, the makeup and binding very good.

398 Folklore—Spain || Alhambra 10-26172/4

Jewett, Sarah Orne. Stories and tales. Bost.Houghton(O)1910. 7v. *$7 net.

Contents: v. 1, Deephaven—v. 2, Tales of New England—v. 3, A country doctor—v. 4, The queen's twin and other stories—v. 5, The life of Nancy—v. 6, A native of Winby—v. 7, The country of the pointed firs.

A uniform edition including Miss Jewett's best and most representative New England stories. The binding though serviceable, is less attractive than that of the earlier volumes but the paper and type are as good, and excellent frontispieces in photogravure have been added. Sold in sets only. Less expensive than the earlier edition.

A11-1493/1

Johnson, John Butler. The theory and practice of modern framed structures; by J. B. Butler, C. W. Bryan and F. E. Turneaure. pt. 1. 9th ed. N.Y.Wiley(F)1910. 326p. illus. *$3 net.

This edition is to be issued in three parts, of which this is the first. It covers essentially the same ground as chapters one to seven and fifteen of the former edition (in *A. L. A. Catalog*) This material has been largely rewritten by competent authorities and considerably expanded, notably the chapters on the elements of analysis, roof trusses, concentrated loads, lateral trusses, and deflections and stresses in redundant members.

624 Structures, Theory of || Bridges || Trusses || Strength of material 10-3366/5

Jones, Harry Clary. The electrical nature of matter and radioactivity. 2d ed. rev. N.Y.Van Nostrand,1910. 210p. $2.

The concluding chapter of the original edition (*Booklist*, 3:44 F 07), "The most recent work on radioactivity," containing tentative discoveries in alpha, beta and gamma rays, has been made fuller and incorporated in its proper place in the text, and there are minor changes bringing the book to date.

537.53 Matter, Constitution of || Radioactivity 10-29775/3

Judson, Harry Pratt. The higher education as a training for business. 2d ed. Chic. Univ. of Chicago press(Ja)1911. 54p. *50c. net.

Reprint of a little brochure first published in 1896 "defending business as a dignified human activity for which the college should offer an invaluable preparation." Will be read with special interest by business men having sons in college.

378 Education || Business education || Colleges and universities 11-1396/5

Keep, Josiah. West coast shells. Rev. ed. San Francisco, Whitaker & Ray-Wiggin(Ja)1911. 346p. illus. *$2 net.

A popular, readable manual, describing the marine and fresh-water mollusks and land shells most commonly picked up on the Pacific coast. Fully illustrated with two exquisite colored plates, biographical index, glossary and index to shells. Some minor changes have been made and illustrations added since the 1904 edition, the plates of which were burned in the earthquake fire.

594 Shells || Mollusks 11-611/3

Lawrence, Thomas Joseph. The principles of international law. 4th ed. rev. Bost.Heath(N)1910. 745p. *$3 net.

This work, the best brief digest of the subject, was formerly published in 1895. The present edition has been practically rewritten and brought into conformity with the latest developments and changes induced by the intervening wars, the Hague conferences, the revised Geneva Convention, the London Naval Conference and the recent Pan-American congresses. Each section is supplied with carefully selected references brought to date. It gives the general reader a fair conception of international law as a system and insight into its historical development. Full index.

341 International law 10-26825/2

Lock, Robert Heath. Recent progress in the study of variation, heredity, and evolution. N.Y. Dutton[Lond.Murray]1910. 334p. illus. *$1.50 net. 5/ net.

"An elementary but reasonably clear and skilful exposition of the present aspects of the evolutionary problem."—*Nature.* Though there is a certain bias toward Mendelianism, this is the best book on the subject for the lay reader. It differs from the first edition (Dutton, 1906, $2) in the addition of select references at the end of each chapter, a new chapter on eugenics (15p.) and minor changes bringing the book to date.

575 Variation || Heredity || Evolution. Analytic: Eugenics 10-25850/5

Martin, Henry Newell. The human body (American science series—Advanced course) 9th ed. rev. N.Y. Holt (Jl) 1910. 546p. illus. *$2.50 net.

A new edition of this standard college textbook, differing from the eighth (in *A. L. A. Catalog*) chiefly in its treatment of the nervous system and the rearrangement of chapters, bringing together those on muscles, nerves and sense-organs with a view to emphasizing the adaptive character of human activities. Some of the anatomical portions have been condensed and about forty illustrations omitted.

612 Physiology 10-16659/3

Mathews, Ferdinand Schuyler. Familiar trees and their leaves. N.Y.Appleton,1911. 334p. illus. $1.75.

An untechnical guide to a knowledge of trees through a study of leaf forms. A revision of the edition in colors (Appleton, 1901, $1.75) differing chiefly in the inclusion of recent changes in scientific nomenclature and in the introduction into the supplement of a score of new species unknown in 1901.

582 Trees 11-2142/3

Merrill, George Perkins. The non-metallic minerals. N.Y.Wiley(N)1910. 432p. illus. $4.

Information concerning minerals of value other than as sources of metals, treating of their occurrences, origin and uses. This revision includes twenty-one pages and many illustrations more than the first edition (Wiley, 1904, $4) and covers the recent discoveries and developments in this branch of mining industry. The bibliographies at the ends of the chapters and the footnotes have been brought to date.

533 Mineralogy || Mineralogy—Bibliography 10-27684/4

Norton, Edward Quincy. Construction, tuning and care of the pianoforte. Bost.Ditson,1910. 117p. illus. $1.

A brief, practical book of reference for tuners, dealers, musicians and owners of pianos and organs, treating of kinds of pianos and their defects, home care, tuning and repairing. A reprint differing from the 1887 edition only in being issued in cloth binding instead of boards.

786 Pianoforte (1887 ed.) 8-24700/2

Palliser, *Mrs* Bury. History of lace. [N.Y.Scribner] Lond.Low,1911. 536p. illus. *$12 net. £2 2/ net.

A reprint of the fourth edition of this standard work, which has been out of print for several years.

746 Lace and lace-making (1902 ed.) 2-15796/2

Parton, James. Captains of industry (Riverside literature series) Bost.Houghton(Ag)1910. 114p. illus. *25c. net.

Twelve sketches selected from these well known biographies (in *A. L. A. Catalog*) including Elihu Burritt, Horace Greeley, Peter Cooper and others less familiar. Intended for school reading and chosen with a view to arousing the interest of school children in industrial life.

920 Industrial arts—Biographies || Biography. Analytics will require 12 cards 10-15612/4

Sharp, William. The writings of "Fiona Macleod." v. 2-7. Uniform ed. N.Y.Duffield [Lond.Heinemann] 1910. each, *$1.50 net. 5/

Contents: v. 2, The dominion of dreams [and] Under the dark star—v. 3, The sin-eater, The washer of the ford, and other legendary moralities—v. 4, The divine adventure, Iona, Studies in spiritual history—v. 5, The winged destiny, Studies in the spiritual, History of the Gael—v. 6. The silence of Amor [and] Where the forest murmurs—v. 7, Poems and dramas.

These six volumes conclude this excellent new edition. For notice of the first volume and description of the edition see *Booklist*, 6:311, Ap 10.

10-2493/1

Tarr, Ralph Stockman. New geographies, by Ralph
✠ S. Tarr and Frank M. McMurry. N.Y.Macmillan(Ag)1910. 2 bks. illus. maps. bk. 1, *65c. net; bk. 2, *$1.10 net.

A revised edition having a larger page. The subject matter has been largely rewritten, added to, and brought to date. Many new illustrations have been added and the maps entirely remade and increased in number. A notable feature of book 2 is the introduction of a series of colored physical maps. Book 1 has two added chapters: Food, clothing and shelter, and Country and city.

910 Geography 10-9935/2

Thomas, Martha McCannon. Captain Phil. N.Y. Holt(N)1910. 355p. illus. *$1.50 net.

"Story of a boy of thirteen who accompanies his elder brother's regiment in the Civil War and has many adventures of his own as well as witnessing those of others throughout the war. There is not much plot but it evidently embodies genuine personal experiences, though at second-hand, and has a reality and vividness lacking in non-contemporary accounts." Reprint of a book first published in 1866, well printed and illustrated, and very serviceably bound.

(1889 ed.) 4-22949/2

Thompson, Silvanus P. Light, visible and invisible. 2d ed. N. Y. & Lond.Macmillan(N)1910. 382p. illus. *$2 net. 6/ net.

To the original collection of six lectures in the *A. L. A. Catalog* two others have been added: Radium and its rays, and The manufacture of light—an increase amounting to eighty-eight pages.

535 Light. Analytics: X-rays || Radium 11-35309/4

Treves, *Sir* **Frederick.** The cradle of the deep. 3d ed. [N.Y. Dutton] Lond. Smith, Elder(D)1910. 378p. illus. *$2 net. 6/ net.

A rambling description of a voyage to the West Indies, beginning with Barbados and Trinidad. Many historic incidents and romantic anecdotes are interwoven, including stories of Captain Kidd and other buccaneers and the famous sea captains and explorers. There are vivid accounts of the St. Pierre disaster and the Kingston earthquake. The fifty-four plates are excellent. This is a cheaper reprint (Dutton, 1908, $4)

917.29 West Indies (1908 ed.) 8-21129/3

Wiggin, *Mrs* **Kate Douglas (Smith)** *ed.* Fairy ring, ed. by Kate Douglas Wiggin and Nora Archibald Smith. Garden City, N.Y.,Doubleday(O) 1910. 445p. illus. **$1.25 net.

The distinctive features of this edition are: twenty-five illustrations by E. A. MacKinstry; grouping of the contents under countries; cut edges and thinner paper; and new covers, light green with violet and pink decorations. The binding is much less attractive than the original (*Booklist*. 3:23, Ja 07) and the illustrations, consisting of an inartistic

colored frontispiece and woodcuts, are not successful enough to recommend the edition in preference to the earlier one, which it is to replace.

398 Fairy tales (1906 ed.) 6-42427/3

Williams, *Mrs* Leslie. A manual of toy dogs. 3d ed. [N.Y.Longmans]Lond.Arnold(O)1910. 106p. illus. *60c. net. 2/ net.

A practical book, based on experience, describing breeds, their disease, food, directions for rearing, exhibiting, selling, etc. This is the first American edition, somewhat enlarged, of an English book published by Newnes in 1900. Fuller and more valuable than Barton's *Toy dogs* (N. Y. Jenkins, $1; Lond. Everett, 2/6 net)

636.7 Dog A10-1709/2

Winter, William. Gray days and gold. N.Y.Moffat(F)1911. 371p. illus. *$3 net.

A handsome, illustrated edition, having large type and artistic binding. It differs widely from the first edition (in *A. L. A. Catalog*), much of the material being rewritten and all of it revised. The chapters have been entirely rearranged, all the sketches of Scotland omitted and several new papers on English themes added, including some from the author's *Old shrines and ivy*, now out of print, and others never before collected. There is a new chapter on his first visit to France. Uniform with his *Shakespeare's England* (*Booklist*, 7:180, D 10)

914.2 England—Description and travel 11-4124/3